

JOB HAZARD ANALYSIS (JHA)		Date: <b>04-01-06</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New JHA Revised JHA
Task: Transportation of small animals		<b>JHA #18</b>	Page <u>1</u> of <u>1</u>
Task Overview:	APHIS personnel will be restrain and transport animals of small (49 lbs. or less) size and weight.		
Task Elements:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Restraining small animals</li> <li>• Preparing small animals for transport</li> <li>• Transporting small animals</li> </ul>		
Personal Protective Equipment:	Work clothes, Dust mask, air purifying respirator, safety glasses, nitrile (exam) gloves, work gloves		
Tools and Equipment:	Motor vehicle, animal transport case		
<b>OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH CONCERNS</b>			
<b>Chemical Agents:</b>  Various possible	<b>Physical Agents:</b>  Bites/scrapes	<b>Biological Agents:</b>  Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens	
<b>Activity/Sequence of Job Steps</b>	<b>Potential Hazards/ Injury sources</b>	<b>Safe Action or Procedure</b>	
1) Restrain small animals	Working with possible chemically contaminated animals Bites/scrapes Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• See JHA #8, Working with Small Animals</li> </ul>	
2) Preparing small animal for transport	Working with possible chemically contaminated animals Bites/scrapes Allergic reactions Animal borne pathogens	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assure the animal is properly restrained</li> <li>• Inspect the animal transportation case to assure it is safe for the animal and handlers</li> <li>• Ready the case to receive the animal</li> <li>• Place the animal in the case</li> </ul>	
3) Transport the animal	Motor vehicle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• See JHA # 3, driving or automobiles or JHA #4, driving or ATV</li> </ul>	